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The base ball season opened last Saturday, but the three straight defeats administered to Cincinnati has put a damper on the enthusiasm of local fans.

The Republican State convention will be held in Columbus May 31 and June 1st. Congressman Kerr, of Mansfield, will be temporary chairman, and E. L. Lamson, of Ashtabula, secretary.

Considerable ill feeling has been stirred up in Berryville over the school election. The defeated side are claiming the election was illegally held and have asked the School Board to refuse to recognize the newly elected member.

The trial of Mrs. Annie George for killing George D. Saxton, brother of Mrs. McKinley, is in progress in Canton and from newspaper reports she will probably be acquitted or the jury will disagree, as public opinion seems to be on her side.

The Cincinnati Enquirer has a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor in the person of Mayor Jones, of Toledo, who ran on an independent ticket and beat both the Republicans and Democrats. It might as well spare its efforts as no bolter will stand a show in a Republican convention.

Albert Douglas, of Chillicothe, is an announced candidate for Governor, and the Executive Committee of Ross county last week passed a resolution permitting him to select the delegates from that county. This forced Thomas of the same place out of the race. On what Mr. Douglas basis his claim for the nomination is hard to tell, unless it is on his blue blood and aristocratic ancestors.

If a rumor that reached our ears the other day is true it explains why the Water Works Trustees are paying their Secretary such a handsome salary for doing next to nothing. Couldn't this work be made a part of the duties of the Corporation Clerk and the taxpayers save the \$500 a year that is thus paid out? There are any number of competent persons who would be anxious to get the position at one-third the salary. If the Trustees are concerned for the good of the town they will abolish the office and give these duties to the Village Clerk, or at least reduce the salary within the bounds of reason.

Senator Foraker has secured a bronze cannon taken from Morro Castle for Hillsboro. It was done at the request of the School Board and will probably be mounted near the Washington School Building. The cannon is not exactly a war relic in the sense of being taken in battle, but is of special interest on account of age, having been made probably a hundred and fifty years ago. Only four other cannon will come to Ohio, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Canton and Akron each receiving one. The C. P. & V. and Hillsboro Railroad have asked the privilege of carrying the gun and it will be delivered at the depot here free of charge.

Real Estate Transfers.

Mattie Mather to Bertha E. Mather, Hillsboro, part lot, \$850 and other considerations.

Isaac N. McKeehan to Hannah D. McKeehan, Sinking Spring, lots, \$400.

Alexander Babb to J. W. Armstrong, Centerfield, lots, \$700.

Fred Reno et al. to Geo. H. Diehl, Whiteoak tp, 9a, 14p, \$742.50.

David D. Ludwick to Moses J. Ludwick, Fairview lots, \$475.

David N. McBride to Hannah E. Bayham, Paint tp, 1a, \$175.

Charles E. Bell to Carey O. Walker, Hillsboro lot, \$250.

O. A. White et al. to Diogene Carron et al. trustees, Taylorville lot, \$25.

John A. Fenner to John O. Edgington, 5a, \$1100.

John Hart to Milton and Mary A. Easter, Jackson tp, 4a, 10p, \$284.

L. J. McKeekin to John and Miriam F. Hart, Jackson tp, 64 1-4a, \$605.

S. A. Zearley to Ibe Johnson, Hillsboro lot, \$400.

T. M. Watts to Martha E. Morris, Brushcreek tp, 39a, 106p, \$130.

Ellie M. Muntz to P. M. Insley, Hillsboro lot, \$100.

S. A. Mitchell et al. to S. S. Mitchell, Greenfield part lot, \$1 and other considerations.

M. Irwin Dunlap to R. W. Loomis, lot Greenfield, \$200.

Sallie Gordon to Mary J. Hastings, Leesburg lot, \$1000.

Irvin McD. Smith to S. A. Zearley, lot Hillsboro, \$115.

Clara E. Larick to M. Q. Turner, Union tp, 1-4 of 1a, \$15.

Milton Easter to F. J. Kelly, Belfast lot, \$150.

John W. Watts to Noah Roads, Liberty, 65a, 90p, \$2005.

LEESBURG.

April 18, 1899.

Mrs. Durnell is still very sick. M. M. Cox was calling on friends in Vienna last week.

The funeral services of Miss Jessie Wright were held at the M. E. Church Sunday at 2 p. m.

The many friends of M. Redkey will be pleased to know he is improving.

The friends Mrs. Lucetta Coran gave her quite a pleasant surprise last Thursday, the occasion being her birthday.

Miss Mae Johnson and Caroline Beeson spent several days in Cincinnati last week. While there they heard Frances Wilson at the Grand.

G. N. Ross and family, of Highland, were visitors at the home of Charles Haines Sunday.

Miss Emma Mae Parker, of Greenfield, accompanied by G. Wilson, of Springfield, were calling on Miss Minnie Macklerley last week.

Mrs. Iva Conover, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is slowly improving.

A series of meetings are now in progress at the Friends' Church, conducted by Miss Maud Milner.

Rev. Kerr, of Lyndon, spent several days last week with his daughter, Mrs. Myres last Sunday.

The Wednesday Club met at the home of Mrs. P. S. Weeks.

Mrs. Jackson, of Vienna, is visiting Mrs. Iva Conover.

J. Hilliard is able to be out again after a recent illness.

Edgar Srote, of Lynchburg, spent last Wednesday with his brother, Dr. J. A. B. Srote.

Charles Rodgers made a business trip to Greenfield Tuesday.

Elizabeth Kraizer visited friends in Vienna Friday.

C. O. Redkey made a business trip to Cincinnati Wednesday.

S. W. Hiestand made a flying trip to Washington Monday.

M. Redkey is in Columbus today.

Charles Kraizer, of Vleppna, visited his mother Monday.

MOWRYTOWN.

April 17, 1899.

Mrs. Maud Dean, of Bethel, who has been visiting the Misses Fenwick, of this place, returned to her home on Friday.

Mrs. Mollie Weaver, one of Mowrytown's respected citizens, departed this life on April 5th, 1899. She was born January 3d, 1844, and was at the time of her death 55 years of age. She was married to James Weaver, of this place, in 1871, and was a resident here for more than 28 years, she being born near Hollowtown. Her kind acts of benevolence to the poor will always be remembered. While she was well she brought cheer to the bedside of many a sick person and had comforting words for those in trouble. She leaves a husband, four daughters and four step children to mourn her departure. When young she united with the Dunkard Church at Hollowtown, but some time after becoming a resident of this place she transferred her membership to the U. B. Church here. Rev. Alton delivered the funeral discourse after which the interment took place in the Hollowtown cemetery.

Mrs. Emily Parrott is having her hotel beautified with the addition of a veranda. School election passed off quietly here.

The teachers for next winter are G. H. Parrott for the High School and M. N. Jodry for the Primary department.

A. Mr. Greenoe, of Ecmansville, is doing some painting in this place.

The first Sunday School Convention of White Oak township for this year will be held in the U. B. Church of this place on April 23d, at 2 o'clock p. m. All are cordially invited to attend as a good time is expected.

Chas. Weaver, of Buford, was on our streets Saturday.

The Mowrytown cornet band will furnish the music here on Decoration day.

Mrs. W. E. Diehl was taken very ill on Saturday morning but is now out of danger.

J. J. Galliett, of the firm of Galliett Bros., accompanied his son, Harold, to Sardinia a few days ago and were the residence of J. S. Galliett while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Starling Gaymon, of Sugarfree Ridge, visited at Polk Long's Sunday.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, It has pleased the Supreme Commander of the Universe to remove by death Lynne Starling Smith, a brother knight of Hillsboro Lodge No. 199 Knights of Pythias, therefore,

Be it resolved, That in the death of Brother Smith Hillsboro Lodge loses a true and trusted knight, the community a good citizen and his friends, one whose friendship was to be valued, for none know him but to love and respect him.

Resolved further, That the charter and altar be draped in mourning for 30 days as a mark of respect for our deceased brother, and that these resolutions be published in the Hillsboro papers.

O. E. HOLADAY,
M. G. MOSES,
J. B. WOLFE,
Committee.

The Doctors are Here!



DRS. L. A. & A. R. ALLARD
THE WELL KNOWN
OPTICIANS
OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.,

Are at the Hotel Parker and Will remain until Saturday, April 29.

They can be consulted free of charge in regard to the adjustment of Spectacles and Eyeglasses to Suit the Sight.

Don't fail to consult us about your eyes. We are enabled to tell on the first examination any ailment of your falling sight and give you glasses to suit the defect and strengthen the eyelight of the old and young. We have made the adaptation of spectacles a special study. Regular graduates of leading ophthalmic institutions, and more than 20 years of actual experience, enables us to correct scientifically and practically the most complicated cases of defective vision.

Artificial Eyes Inserted.

If you have lost an eye be sure to call on us. We will insert an artificial one which will look and move like the natural one.

Washington C. H., Ohio, References.

G. W. Patton, Miss B. Hay, D. A. Spangler, W. Jones, Miss A. E. Clark, H. H. Ferguson, W. Hooker, M. L. Cleveland, H. C. Allen, C. Hettelheimer, S. J. Lydy, E. D. Coyd, J. M. Proffitt, A. Jones, C. L. Getz, A. D. Sweet, M. Clark, J. S. Clark, M. E. Carney, E. A. McCoy, J. P. Wiatt, A. Hartman, Miss L. Hariman, S. W. Olesna, E. Prope, D. R. Jacobs, M. J. Bird, K. Bell, O. Clifton, J. W. Byson, G. M. Reitenhanse, B. Rowe, C. Thompson, M. Cockerill, M. Cullen, A. M. Boyd, W. W. Shoop, O. L. Kennedy, M. Draper, S. Bruce, J. G. Keeper, A. P. Kinzer, L. Campbell, J. W. Duffee, A. D. Tansey, S. M. Hankson, M. A. Vance, T. W. Welch, M. Thrasher, M. Eecord, O. Bush, Rev. D. Louk, S. Underwood, J. Mallow, S. L. Davis, R. Rankin, Sara Cron, T. B. McCoy, M. A. Robuck, L. Beet, J. B. Harsh, Augusta Gest, Mrs. M. F. Mark, Marey Casey, Mrs. E. Goldsberry, S. Armstrong, J. E. Bailey, Mary Rankin, E. O. Parker, M. C. McEwain, Nancy A. Sanders, Mrs. L. S. Vincen, Miss L. Tumbleton, J. W. Allen, H. O. Kroll, D. Hopkins, Mrs. G. I. Bailey, M. J. Fellers, J. Hopkins, Mrs. M. J. Koffman, Miss Rilla Koffman, C. L. Phillips, S. Pursell, Mrs. M. Adams, Mrs. L. Davis, Mrs. N. Batty, Mrs. S. Miller, R. Passmore, J. W. Duffee, Charles Gardner, O. Reichert, Mrs. P. Sherman, I. J. Fields, M. J. Leever, Mrs. Z. Gerstner, M. J. Grubbs, Mrs. S. C. Morris, Miss A. Adams, S. A. Plyley, Mrs. N. M. Clark, E. Johnson, Miss Bessie M. Johnson, L. J. Ross, E. O'Day, N. W. Crooks, H. Soyler, M. Orr, Miss A. E. Miller, J. Warnecke, A. S. Hays, Miss J. West, A. E. Pine, John Sollam, R. Millikin, J. Ellis, W. H. Dial, J. M. McCoy, O. S. Scott, Mrs. F. Flea, S. A. Stoddard, Lon Burnette, Miss Zoe Burnette, J. B. Schumm, H. B. Kerr, M. J. McLean, L. P. Saxton, Q. A. Fisk, Wm. Simpson, R. Beckenstoe, Miss L. Allerdis, H. E. Fultz, Wm. Truitt, George Jackson, Sadie Christy, J. M. McCoy, Mary Wendel, Mrs. T. F. Brown, I. B. Scott, W. B. Davis, C. B. Worthington, J. H. Post, Mrs. S. E. Adams.

CENTERFIELD.

April 17, 1899.

John Armstrong has moved from Berryville into the property he recently purchased of Alex. Babb, who purchased property in Leesburg. Charles Wyatt and family moved to New Petersburg Saturday.

Lydia Butler, who has been suffering from a sprained ankle, is convalescing. James Town, of New Petersburg, was circulating among friends here Sunday.

Robert Rosenbower made a business trip to Ross county today.

Mrs. Nannie Barrow and son, of Kansas, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Littler.

The school election here last Monday was unusual quiet.

D. E. Butler was in Hillsboro on his wheel last week.

John Campbell, of Leesburg, was calling on old friends here Sunday.

Police Court.

A tramp who gave the name of Dan VanWinkle was caught last week while attempting to steal some clothes from the premises of W. A. Morrow. The clothes were returned, and as Mr. Morrow did not care to prosecute, he was charged with drunkenness and loitering to which he entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$5 and costs on the first, and \$10 and costs on the second.

Mrs. Ellen Steele filed a complaint last Saturday about a gold watch which was stolen from her while moving. The police notified the suspected parties and the watch was returned without any arrears.

The New Herald had a circulation of 1,500.

Meats and Lard

We handle Kingan's Meats and Jacobs' celebrated Kettle Rendered Lard. Absolutely pure. Once tried always used. Kingan's hams and breakfast bacon are thoroughly cured and smoked with hickory, which gives them that excellent flavor that other meats do not have.

Kingan's Breakfast Bacon.....10c lb
Kingan's Hams.....10c lb
Kingan's Heavy Bacon.....7c lb
Jacobs' Lard.....7c lb

We are headquarters for fruit and garden vegetables.

Special Saturday, April 22:

Free with every sack of our Queen of the Pantry Flour, box Monarch Baking Powder. 25 pound sack Queen of the Pantry Flour, 50c. Half lb. box Monarch Baking Powder free.

This is for Saturday only. Cash or trade for country produce.

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F. EMMERLING,

Optician and Jeweler.

The letter, published herewith, from J. E. Fisher, Esq., official examiner of the Ohio Insurance Department, speaks for itself. To anyone interested we shall be pleased to mail a full report of this examination published in circular form.

STATE OF OHIO,
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,
COLUMBUS, O., February 20, 1899.

To the Directors of the Ohio Farmers Insurance Co., LeRoy, Ohio:—GENTLEMEN—It affords me pleasure to state, with reference to my official examination of the affairs of the Ohio Farmers Insurance Company, conducted under the direction of the Ohio Insurance Department, that the results of my investigations, carried on with the aid of two able assistants, and extending over a period of five weeks, were in every respect favorable. I find the company's books and records to be carefully kept, according to approved modern methods, and that the management of the company in its business relations is prompt, capable and economical.

I have filed an exhaustive report of this examination with the Hon. W. S. Matthews, Superintendent of Insurance, and will only state here that my findings show a slightly better financial condition than the company's own statement—an unusual statement in these days.

Respectfully yours,

J. E. FISHER, Official Examiner.
Total cash assets, \$1,078,742 33
Net cash surplus, \$121,468 33.
WOOD, ROADS & WORKMAN, Agts.

Attention Breeders.

You will find on the farm of James M. Richards 2 1/2 miles southeast of Hillsboro on the Belfast pike the best and most complete breeding barn in Southern Ohio, comprised of such horses as Fidler, No. 10,339, record 2:23 1/2, by Red Wilkes; Farallon, by Electricity, No. 23,442; Graf Wedal, No. 238, an imported coach horse, and Faby, No. 15,688, an imported Peacheron horse.

All the above horses are good individuals and no better horses can be found in this part of the State. You are invited to inspect this stock before breeding elsewhere. JAMES M. RICHARDS

New Tea Flour.



Coat Suits, Jackets, Capes, Separate Skirts

COAT SUITS this season are more popular than ever. For that reason we have bought unusually heavy in thirty-five to forty styles (no two alike), and can please you in any style desired. All-Wool Coat Suits from \$4.98 to \$18.00.

We guarantee fit, quality and workmanship. Garments that fit and retain their shape are what we sell.

SILK CAPE—All styles and designs, trimmed in lace, chiffon, ribbon and jet, nicely made and lined with silk and nearsilk linings (black and colors). The ruffled Cape is one of the popular effects this season.

We have some sixty styles in Silk and Velvet Capes, at from \$1.39 to \$4.50—popular prices. Our \$2.49 Cape is better value and style than most merchants are showing at \$3.00, their real worth.

Too many styles in SKIRTS to describe, but we can say that our black figured Mohair Skirt, at 98c, is a real bargain. Nice Silk Skirts, assorted patterns, \$4.49, regular \$5.00 quality.

It's a little early yet for Wash Skirts. We have them, however, from 49c up. Any of them are worth half more than we ask for them.

SHIRT WAISTS—In a number of styles and colors, for only 50c. These are better values than we or anybody else have ever shown for 75c, and as good as the majority sold at a dollar.

Before buying any of the above lines of goods come in and see what we are showing.

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